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1. About 80 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with tank insignia dug trenches in the area of Damm airfield on 6 July 1950. Other troops equipped with heavy machine guns practiced moving into position in these trenches. Training in the construction of telephone lines and exercises with radio equipment were observed. 50X1-HUM
2. A shipment of four guns of about 75 mm caliber, and six trucks [redacted] was seen at the loading ramp of the Jueterbog rail-road station on 7 July 1950. They were escorted by 10 officers and 45 [redacted] 50X1-HUM wearing red-bordered black epaulets. The trucks were loaded with boxes and furniture.
3. A rail shipment of four boxcars occupied by troops and other cars loaded with 12 tanks [redacted] was observed from the Millionenhuecke on 8 July 1950. [redacted] 50X1-HUM

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6. A convoy of 45 trucks, including four field kitchens and three radio trucks

came from the direction of Jueterbog-Altes Lager via Schlosstrasse on 5 July 1950. Each truck was occupied by four to six soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

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7. A convoy of about 40 trucks towing guns came from the direction of Jueterbog-Neues Lager, and headed toward the Damm airfield on 7 July 1950. Trucks and guns were camouflaged with shrubs and branches. Each truck was occupied by an officer and 15 EM wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

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8. Major Senin, (fnu), was CO of the Luckenwalde military post

9. Furniture for officer billets was hauled to the Turm Kaserne between 3 and 14 July 1950. Kaserne:

10. Four rail-type rocket launchers mounted on trucks headed toward Jueterbog via Schlosstrasse on 10 July 1950.

11. Seven trucks all loaded with gasoline containers moved through Schlosstrasse toward the Luckenwalde road on 11 July 1950.

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12. Tanks previously observed at the tank park on Am Hanstein were no longer there. they had left toward Treuenbrietzen on 9 July 1950. (6)

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13. On 11 July 1950, employees of a tailor shop were ordered by a Soviet colonel to finish work on all officers uniforms, coats, etc. by 1 September 1950. Four additional tailors were hired.

14. More Soviet dependents were repatriated between 3 and 14 July 1950. their transport was to be assembled at Frankfurt/Oder.

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Comments.

(3) The unit belonged to the 11th Gds Mecz Div

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(6) In mid-June 1950, two-hundred tanks were reported to be parked there.

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